

## HEBREWS CELEBRATE PASSOVER FEAST

Will Begin at Sundown  
This Evening.

### SERVICES IN SYNAGOGUES

Household Services Conducted by Heads  
of Families Throughout  
the City.

With sundown this evening will begin the Hebrew feast of Passover. This is in commemoration of the deliverance of the children of Israel from the wilderness after their exodus from the thralldom in Egypt.

"Pesach," as its Semitic term, is generally begun with services in the household. This function is observed pretty thoroughly by the Radical and Orthodox members of the faith alike. The observance, known as the "Seder," takes place immediately after dark. It is generally conducted by the head of the family wherever there is one, and in the event of his absence it is taken up by the male descendant next in line.

#### Emblematic Viands.

The table is covered with many viands emblematic of the occasion and suffering which the Children of Israel were forced to endure. Principal among these is the bitter herb showing to what extent the sufferings went. The unleavened bread upon the table demonstrates the fact that during the seven or eight days of the holiday nothing of a leavened character must be partaken of in the nature of food. The services, read from the Hagada, tell of all that the Moslems endured until once more restored to their native land and home conditions. This is characterized as the Seder by the sweet apple which is handed around and prayerfully partaken of.

#### Services in All Synagogues.

The Reformed Hebrews observe seven days in the celebration of the feast, and the Orthodox community continues its celebration for another day.

Services will be held in all the synagogues tomorrow morning, but there will be no other services until the respective concluding days of the feast.

## HARRY ARMSTRONG SINGS AT GOLDENBERG'S

Popular Writer Will Give Two Concerts  
Daily in the Music Department  
of the Store.

Harry Armstrong, one of the most popular song writers in this country, will sing and play his own selections all this week at Goldenberg's, giving two concerts daily at 10:30 a. m. and 2:30 p. m.

Mr. Armstrong has scored a big success. Among the best known of his compositions are "Sweet Adeline" and "Can't You See I'm Lonely." His latest song, however, "What's the Use of Loving, if You Can't Love All the Time," will be the most popular song this season at Atlantic City and other seaside resorts, as well as at our own summer resorts near Washington.

Besides being possessed of a fine voice Mr. Armstrong plays the piano very well. There are few men who can play popular music with the same amount of charm and effect as he.

Despite the inclement weather of today there was a large crowd of women present at Goldenberg's music department this morning to listen to the concert which was thoroughly enjoyed.

Mr. Armstrong will be at Goldenberg's the rest of this week giving two concerts daily—10:30 and 2:30. The concerts are entirely free, and the public is invited.

**JEREMIAH DUCKETT WILL  
BE BURIED TOMORROW**

Jeremiah Duckett, a lifelong resident of Prince George county, Md., died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Emma Earnshaw, 204 Tenth street southeast, yesterday at the age of eighty-nine.

Mr. Duckett was one of the oldest farmers of Prince George county, having been born and reared near Woodmore postoffice. He was very successful as a farmer. For the last two years he has been spending a great deal of his time in Washington with his daughter. Mr. Duckett is survived by three sons and one daughter. The funeral services will be held tomorrow.

**BRIGHT BOY, BUT HE CAN  
WRITE BACKWARD ONLY**

PITTSBURG, April 9.—It requires the aid of a mirror to decipher the chirography of Otto Anschutz, aged ten, who was sent to the Institute for Feeble-Minded Children at Polk, Pa., by the officers of the juvenile court.

The little fellow is exceedingly bright, but he refuses absolutely to be taught how to write from left to right, though he uses the style of penmanship in vogue in the public schools at the present time. Everything written by him has to be transposed to be read.

He even writes figures backward and reads them in the same manner. The boy's mother accompanies him to Polk, where the instructors will try to break him of his one queer habit.

## Senate Walls to Sound This Week With Railroad Rate Bill Oratory

Senator Bailey Prepares  
for Effort of His Life  
Tomorrow.



SENATOR SPOONER.

Opinion generally concedes that the great debate now in progress in the United States Senate on the railroad rate question has seldom, if ever, been equalled in brilliancy and ability in any parliamentary body of the world. This being so, it is interesting to note that the speeches scheduled for the present week will probably mark the culmination of the debate, and make the next six days noteworthy in the history of the recent Congress.

Tomorrow is especially looked forward to as a great day. Senator Bailey, the Democratic leader, conceded to be one of the best constitutional lawyers in public life, as well as one of the most able orators, will speak. More than usual interest is manifested in this event, because he has announced his purpose to reply specifically to the arguments advanced by Senators Knox and Spooner, who are recognized as the leading lawyers on the Republican side, in their opposition to Mr. Bailey's proposition that courts may be prohibited from issuing temporary injunctions suspending orders of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

Mr. Bailey has been fortifying himself



SENATOR BAILEY.



SENATOR LA FOLLETTE.

for this reply for the last ten days, and has found a number of authorities which he claims sustain his position. His will be a close, analytical, speech, full of legal lore and constitutional argument. Mr. Bailey, however, possesses the rare gift of being able, by his graceful delivery, clear enunciation, choice diction, and forceful marshalling of facts, to make even a dry subject interesting. This, together with the certainty that he will be constantly subject to interruptions by the ablest minds in the Senate, that all the "big guns" will be

Big Guns of Opposi-  
tion to Be Heard  
in Reply.



SENATOR KNOX.

brought into play, insures a large audience for the Texas Senator when he rises to speak. Gallery seats will be at a premium, and it is safe to say that no Senator who is able to be present will be missing from his place on the floor.

#### Wavering Party Associates.

Senator Bailey, besides desiring to defend his position from the legal attacks of Messrs. Knox and Spooner, has another object in view. He knows that a number of his own party colleagues do not agree with his views, and that if a vote were to be taken today on his proposition it would be hopelessly beaten. He is, therefore, doubly anxious to make his argument a telling one, so that he may at least win over the doubting ones among his own followers. All the powers of his keen, analytical mind will therefore be brought to bear upon his subject, and the result is certain to be a remarkable speech.

Sensors Knox and Spooner will reply to him later in the week, and their speeches will attract scarcely less attention. Senator La Follette's remarks, also scheduled for this week, will be a notable addition to the debate, speaking as he does, from a practical experience of six years in trying to curb what he considers the encroachments of the railroads in Wisconsin.

### WEARS BADGE TO SHOW HE IS A MAN

WASHINGTON COURT HOUSE, Ohio, April 9.—Prosper Randolph Milburn, a music teacher, who created a sensation by appearing on the streets of this city in woman's clothes, is not now barred from feminine attire.

A large shield with the inscription, "Randolph Milburn, I am a man," worn on his person, gives him the liberty to dress as a woman.

Milburn was arrested in this city when he first appeared in female costume, and he wrote to Attorney General Ellis for an opinion on the question. He declared that as Dr. Mary Walker was wearing men's clothes he felt that with equal propriety he could wear women's clothes. Milburn on his own account searched legal precedent and discovered, as he says, that he may dress as he desires, provided that he makes no attempt at deception as to his sex.

#### HIS PREFERENCE.

Kind Lady—Well, my good man, what kind of food would you have me give you?

Oliver Mudd—Better make it soup, ma'am. It don't need no chawin'.—The American Spectator.

### G. M. PAXTON INTERRED IN TENLEYTOWN CEMETERY

The funeral of George M. Paxton was held at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon from the chapel in Lee's undertaking establishment. The Rev. Dr. Smith, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church of Tenleytown, officiated. Burial was made in the family lot in Tenleytown.

Mr. Paxton died suddenly on Saturday at his home, 487 K street southwest.

## ALEXANDRIA NEWS NOTES

WASHINGTON TIMES BUREAU,  
ALEXANDRIA, VA., APRIL 9.

Virgie Sider, who is now at the House of Detention in Washington, and is attracting some attention, is known in Alexandria. She was brought here by her father several months ago and lived, under the care of a Mrs. Blake, at the Braddock House. Her name at that time, and that of her father, was given as Sadler.

She was a bright and active child and was well known in the neighborhood of the market. She left here in charge of Mrs. Blake for her father's home some time ago and since that time nothing had been heard of her here until the recent publications made in The Times.

Mr. Sadler was here a day or two ago making inquiries at the Braddock House.

**NATIVE OF ALEXANDRIA.**  
James T. Boisseau, who died in Washington last Saturday, is the son of an Alexandrian who was prominent in the early part of the last century. He conducted a confectionery and fruit store in Royal street opposite the market.

**CORPORATION COURTS.**  
The April session of the Corporation Court, Judge Louis C. Barley presiding, opened at the courthouse here this morning at 11 o'clock. The docket was called and cases set for trial. The case of U. S. Winston vs. James McCuen, Jr., for \$86 for labor and services of pile driver in raising the tug boat Spray, was before a jury.

**POLICE BOARD MEETINGS.**  
A meeting of the board of police commissioners will be held tonight, at which time the plans for increasing the efficiency of the force will be taken up.

**HIS FAREWELL SERMON.**  
At the Methodist Episcopal Church South the Rev. J. P. Stump, last evening, preached his farewell sermon to a large congregation. Mr. Stump will leave today for his new charge at Luray, Va. Dr. Charles D. Bulla, who will succeed Mr. Stump, will arrive this week. Last night he preached his farewell sermon to a large congregation, at Winchester, Va. His congregation presented him with a purse containing \$50 in gold.

**PALM BRANCHES BLESSED.**  
At St. Mary's Church yesterday morning palm branches were blessed and distributed to the congregation of the late mass.

**IN TEMPORARY CHURCH.**  
The Rev. G. B. Strickler preached sermons to the congregation of the Second Presbyterian Church yesterday. The services were held in the First Presbyterian Church, in South Fairfax street, owing to the improvements being made to the Second Church.

**THROWN FROM CAR.**  
Mrs. Edward P. Robertson, of Washington, while alighting from an electric car at the corner of Fayette and King streets, yesterday morning, was thrown to the ground and her ankle injured.

**WILLIAM WHIPPED ROSE.**  
William Moor, colored, was arrested by Policeman Mayhew on the charge of assaulting and beating Rose Johnson. In the police court this morning he was fined \$10.

**CANNIBALS GOOD CHANCE  
FOR MISSIONARY WORK**

Dr. Karl Kumm Tells Geographic Society Seneca Natives Are in Need of Religious Conversion.

The cannibal regions of the West Central, Sudan are a subject for the serious consideration of religious societies bent on teaching Christianity and civilization to the wild tribes that inhabit that section of Africa, according to Dr. H. Karl W. Kumm, who lectured before the National Geographic Society at National Rifles Army last night.

Dr. Kumm spent most of last year in the wilds of Africa, working his way northward from the West Coast, as an agent of allied religious associations of Great Britain.

He displayed some fifty views of the natives in their wild haunts, out of reach of civilization.

The speaker said he was surprised to find in this country that people have so little knowledge of the region which he visited. This he attributed to the fact that there are few colleges or universities in America that have chairs of geography, while in Germany, his own country, there are few such institutions that do not have chairs in geography.

**ILLUSTRATED TALK ON INDIA.**  
The Mt. Holyoke Alumnae Association will meet on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, at Mrs. Stevens' Lenox street, Chevy Chase. There will be an illustrated talk on India by Mrs. E. E. Stevens.

## PALM SUNDAY SERVICES IN THE CITY CHURCHES

Special Music, Confirmation and Blessing of the Palms Features of Devotion.

Palm Sunday was appropriately observed in many of the Washington churches yesterday and at the conclusion of the services there was a promise as attractive as if it had been Easter Sunday.

Special services were held in all the Catholic churches. These were begun with the impressive ceremony of blessing the palms.

In the Protestant churches special music was prepared. St. John's choir, under the direction of H. H. Freeman, gave an unusually interesting program, the chief feature of which was Faure's "The Palms."

As a significant feature of the day at Concordia Lutheran Church confirmation services were held by the pastor, the Rev. Paul A. Menzel.

The choir of the Church of the Sacred Heart yesterday provided the prescribed Gregorian music for the mass. The work was Florentini's mass and was sung by the newly organized men and boys' choir of the church under the direction of George W. Barry. Last night the regular choir sang Rossini's "Stabat Mater" under the leadership of Bernard Ryan.

### CHURCH CONSOLIDATION MAY BE OPPOSED

At the meeting of the District Presbytery of the Presbyterian Church tomorrow morning, it is probable that some opposition to the consolidation of the New York Avenue and Assembly's churches will develop. This, it is said, will come from a minority of the membership of the latter church.

The Presbytery will be held at the Sixth Presbyterian Church, Sixth and C streets southwest.

Those who favor the consolidation do not regard the opposition to it as formidable or fear that it will have any effective weight at the Presbytery. It is considered assured that at the Presbytery the consolidation will be formally approved.

### CONEY ISLAND SEASON OPENS WITH A RUSH

NEW YORK, April 9.—The Coney Island season opened with a rush yesterday. A Sunday crowd of 60,000 thronged the island. Every car that went to the island was crowded.

All the resorts did a thriving business. No one ventured in the water. Only five arrests were made during the day, and but one accident happened.

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It doesn't take women long to find out where the prettiest styles are to be found, and the most satisfying assortment. If you want the Easter Hat home in time to wear next Sunday, please let us have your order soon as possible—tomorrow, if you can get here.

Several hundred charming Easter Hats—just sent from our work-rooms—go on sale tomorrow morning, which for good taste and dainty stylings, have never been equalled for the price. They get their inspiration from the most expensive foreign models—and will prove a revelation to the woman seeking a becoming hat for moderate cost.

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## Easter Sale of Skirts, \$4.88 and \$6.75

Values Worth  
\$6.98, \$10, \$12 and \$14

The materials include every fabric and weave that will be worn this season, consisting of finest grade imported Panamas, voiles, chiffon Panamas, fancy novelty mohairs, shadow check mohairs, serges, and smart-looking fancy mixtures.

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